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## OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

### Events Occurring Throughout the State During the Past Week.

#### Round-Up Buckaroo Killed.

John Day.—In a drunken row Vel son Pope, 18 years old, son of a well known pioneer, shot and killed Jim Green, a half breed Indian. The shooting occurred at the Pope ranch, a few miles out of John Day.

Green was employed at the Pope ranch to break wild horses, and on his return from a trip to John Day he took a quantity of intoxicating liquor with him.

Green was noted for his prowess as a buckaroo, and was a star performer at the Pendleton Round-Up last year. He is survived by a wife and a child about one year old.

#### Highway Stakes Are Set.

Central Point.—The surveyors employed by the county in connection with the Pacific highway, and under the direction of the state engineer, are here setting grade stakes between this city and Medford. This is the initial move in the actual development of the highway here. The surveyors after they have finished work in this locality will move to the Siskiyou mountains, south of Ashland.

#### Eight-Footed Hog 2 Months Old.

Ashland.—The four-winged duck on the Cyster ranch, east of Ashland, has a rival in an eight-footed pig on the Beall ranch, south of Central Point. Both sets of feet are well developed. This freak is now 2 months old and promises to attain the size of the average hog. Its legs are normal down to the ankle joint, each leg terminating in two feet instead of one.

#### Prisoner Eats Evidence.

Portland.—Although he ate the documentary evidence against him while on the witness stand, in full view of the court attaches and spectators, according to officials, Sam Matheson, a Seattle contractor, was bound over to the grand jury by Municipal Judge Stevenson on a charge of passing a bad check for \$35.

## SUITS WILL NOT BE DELAYED

### Attorney-General McReynolds Advises Governor West Decision Is Final.

Salem.—Announcing that the decision to separate the Southern Pacific and Central Pacific railway lines was final, Attorney-General McReynolds telegraphed Governor West that the institution of suits could not be delayed for further hearings. The Attorney-General said that a careful investigation had been made and that the consolidation of the system was clearly in violation of the anti-trust act. This means that the business interests of the state will not have an opportunity to make protest through hearings.

Governor West several days ago telegraphed President Wilson that the contemplated action of separating the lines would be harmful to the business interests of the state, and asked that action be postponed until hearings could be held. The state railway commission made a similar request.

#### Rabies Reported in Baker County.

Baker.—Reports of rabies infected dogs have been received in Baker and county health officials are taking steps to advise the populace on how best to escape infection, and on what to do if infected. It is believed that the disease is spread by coyotes on the range.

#### Gold Strike Made.

Canyon City.—The gold strike reported on Canyon mountain several days ago has been followed up by three other discoveries. Miners here say that it now has the appearance of ledge matter. The ground is the same that Dan O'Shea took a \$2500 pocket from last summer.

#### To Prison For Fourth Time.

Pendleton.—Four times a convict is the record held by Bert Pixier, found guilty in the circuit court of the theft of four cattle. The crime for which he has just been found guilty was committed within 10 days after he returned from the state prison. He was sentenced to serve 10 years.

Mrs. Ira Thomas of North Santiam was in town Tuesday.

## REGISTER EARLY WITH S.H. HELTZEL

The registration law of 1913, having been declared unconstitutional, it will be necessary for the voters of every precinct to register again. Under the registration law of 1911, which is the law now in effect, electors may register under any notary public or justice of the peace. It is my desire to assist as many voters as possible in registering, for which no charge will be made. Any voter may register by calling at my office in the Deidrich Bldg., Stayton, Oregon, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., except noon hour and Sundays. Any person desiring to register during the noon hour may do so by appointment.

The 1911, registration law requires all naturalized citizens to exhibit their naturalization papers to the official registrar before they can be registered. This would include children of any naturalized person, who owe their citizenship to the naturalization of their father, and would also include an American born wife of a foreign born husband. The signature of the person registering must be witnessed by two freeholders of the county, therefore it would expedite the registration if three or more voters registered at the same time. However, all electors calling will be registered.

I will be in a position to register voters from any of the surrounding precincts in Marion County, and also those from Kingston precinct in Linn county.

Respectfully,  
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## ENTERTAINMENT WAS WELL RECEIVED

The high school entertainment last Friday evening was well attended, and nothing but praise for the program has been heard from all sides. This speaks well for the school and assures them that other entertainments in the future will go far toward paying for their fine new piano.

Elsewhere in the Mail the high school has thanked those who helped in the program. The songs by Miss Lilly of Salem were especially well received. Mr. A. J. Eagan of Salem also sang a pleasing song and Fred S. Bynon, Secretary of the Salem Commercial Club told one of his imitable stories.

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## SWITCHBOARD ASS'N MET SATURDAY

The Stayton Mutual Switchboard Association met last Saturday and the prospects of an early incorporation of all the lines that enter Stayton is very good.

The subject of buying a home for the Central has been postponed to a future date pending the action taken in incorporating.

President Chrisman appointed a committee of five to confer with Attorney Heltzel in getting the papers ready to submit to the next meeting of the Association. The committee is: W. E. Chrisman, L. S. Lambert, John Sandner, E. J. Boedigheimer, Henry Smith. The next meeting of the Association will be announced later.

## OREGON GETS OVER MILLION

Out of a total Government appropriation of \$23,460,000 for carrying on reclamation work, Oregon receives \$1,220,135. Of this amount about \$500,000 will be expended on the West Umatilla project, nearly the same amount on the work jointly being carried on by the Government and the state, and the balance will be allotted to the Klamath project.

## LEBANONITES DO TIME IN STAYTON

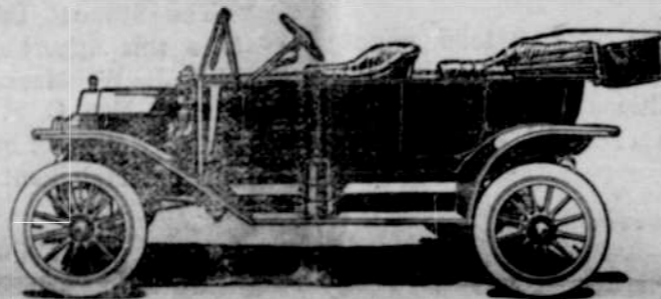
A couple of Lebanonites came to Stayton last Saturday to get the benefit of the "Closing Out Sale of Wet Goods." They both landed in the cooler before the evening was over. Recorder Grier handed them each a \$7.50 package Monday. One of them had the money and the other had spent all of his at the Bargain Emporium.

Marshall Smith allowed the broke fellow to walk around a little and he took advantage of the liberty and made a bee-line for Linn County, however, the marshal caught the one with the horse and buggy at the bridge and held the property until the absentee was brought back to the City Bastille.

We would have given a good two-bit piece to have seen the Marshal cutting through those sawdust piles on the run, so as to be the first one to the bridge. Later—the "con" took French leave the next day.

The good roads excitement has invaded Polk County. The Dallas Commercial Club is making an effort to secure a bond issue of not less than \$600,000, with which, it is figured, practically all the cities of the county can be connected by a hard surface road.

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Penalty of \$20 to \$1000 for failure to file returns on or before March 1st.

Fine not exceeding \$2000 or imprisonment not exceeding one year or both at the discretion of the court for making a false or fraudulent return.

Every person having a net income of \$3000 or over for calendar year (\$2500 for year 1913) must make a return; a single person is allowed an exemption of \$3000 and a married person \$4000. (For year 1913, March 1 to December 31, the exemption allowed is \$2500 or \$3333.33.)

All payments due on your income may be remitted at once or you can have until June 30 in which to pay. Payment must be made by certified check, money order or draft. Personal checks can not be accepted.

Partnerships as such are not required to make income returns, but the members comprising the firm providing their individual incomes reach \$3000 (\$2500 for 1913) or over are to make returns.

If in doubt regarding any part of the law or regulations write for information to M. A. Miller, Collector, Portland, Oregon.

For year 1913, the law operates only from March 1 to December 31 so the incomes, deductions and exemptions are figured accordingly.

## 1911 HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI CLASS MET

At an Alumni meeting of the Stayton High School Class 1911 which met at the Daisy Hall Saturday Feb. 7th., 1914. Stephen Taylor was elected President and Mabel Gardner elected Sec. Prof. Phillips now of the Jefferson School was present with the class, as he was the Stayton incumbent in 1911. A banquet was served and the class adjourned to meet Feb. 1915.

With a capital stock of \$641, the Corvallis Cannery, operated by the Benton County Growers' Association, did a business of \$55,000 in 1913. The establishment packed 17,850 cases of fruits and vegetables, making 38 carloads of 36,000 lbs. each. Growers received approximately \$12,000 for raw material.

Prof. Phillips, wife and baby of Jefferson visited friends here over Sunday.

## VICTIMS OF MEXICAN BANDIT ARE BURNED

### Fifty or More Passengers and Crew Believed to Have Perished in Tunnel.

Cumbre, Mexico.—Nothing but charred bones and buttons were found by the rescuing party which, by the aid of oxygen helmets and pulmotors, succeeded in penetrating the Cumbre tunnel from the south portal as far as the locomotive and first two cars of the passenger train. They were probably killed when the engine of the passenger train crashed into the burning freight train, which had been pushed into the tunnel by Castillo's bandits several hours before.

It is now believed that every one of the 50 or more passengers and the crew aboard the train when it dashed into the tunnel are dead.

Railroad men are furious at Castillo's act. Last week 22 of his men were captured and executed by the rebels and the next day, apparently in revenge, he captured the freight train, ran it into the south end of the tunnel about 300 feet and there set fire to it.

Castillo's failure to send back warning of his act is regarded as the most cruel and murderous act of his career of outlawry and there is a disposition here to criticize General Francisco Villa for not having crushed him long ago.

## CELILO CANAL NEARS FINISH

### Big Blast Removes Last Obstruction to Flow of Water.

The Dalles, Or.—About 80 per cent of the work on the Dalles-Celilo canal was completed when 10,500 pounds of powder were exploded by the pressing of an electric button. The last obstruction to water flowing from end to end was blown out.

The completion of this important improvement will give a large portion of the inland Empire the benefit of water transportation. It will open to steamboat navigation the Columbia river from Priest Rapids to the sea, a distance of about 400 miles, and during the greater portion of the year the Snake river from Lewiston to the sea a distance of about 465 miles.

#### May Sue Rockefeller for Taxes.

Cleveland, Ohio.—County Attorney Locher received instructions from Attorney General Hogan to sue John D. Rockefeller for his personal taxes. The Cuyahoga county authorities had estimated approximately \$12,000,000 was due them.

## AMERICAN-JAPANESE RELATIONS IMPROVED

Washington.—Notable improvement in the relations between the United States and Japan is believed to have resulted from the events in the house of representatives last week connected with the passage of the Burnett immigration bill. Reports from Tokio are to the effect that a profound impression was caused in the Japanese capital, not only by the refusal of the house to include in the bill the proposed prohibition against the entry of Japanese into the United States, but even more by the non-partisan appeal of Representative Mann.

The Japanese statesmen are declared to have been much pleased, by the house's reception of the appeal for fair treatment of aliens, and for abstention from legislative interference with the executive department in its efforts to arrive at a settlement of the open issue between the two countries.

#### Banker's Shortage is Now Million.

Memphis, Tenn.—With the discovery that of \$527,867 listed as actual cash on hand when the bank closed its doors, \$410,000 was represented by personal checks of the president, C. Hunter Raine, now imprisoned, charged with embezzlement, the amount of the apparent discrepancy in the accounts of the Mercantile Bank advanced to more than \$1,000,000. The exact amount will not be known until the audit is completed.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting May be Repeated Vancouver, Wash.—The Tri-State convention of Young Men's Christian associations of Washington, Idaho and Oregon, which met here, was so instructive, harmonious and enthusiastic that there is every possibility that a Tri-State convention will be held again next year.

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